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| Attorney Docket No. | 4085-252-27 CONT | |
| First Inventor or Application Identifier | IRENA BRONSTEIN, ET AL. | |
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APPLICATION ELEMENTS
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1. Fee Transmittal Form (e.g. PTO/SB/17)
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
 Applicant claims small entity status.

2. Specification Total Pages **46**

3. Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C. 113) Total Sheets **1**

4. Oath or Declaration Total Pages **3**
a. Newly executed (original or copy)
b. Copy from a prior application (37 C.F.R. §1.63(d))
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5. Incorporation By Reference (useable if box 4B is checked)
The following disclosure in the prior application, from which a copy or the
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of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby
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ACCOMPANYING DOCUMENTS

6. Assignment Papers (cover sheet & documents)
7. 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) Statement Power of Attorney
(where there is an assignee)
8. English Translation Document (if applicable)
9. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)/PTO-1449 Copies of IDS
10. Preliminary Amendment
11. White Advance Serial No. Postcard
12. Certified Copy of Priority Document(s)
(if foreign priority is claimed)
13. Request for Priority
14. List of Inventors' Names and Addresses
15. Other:

16. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below:

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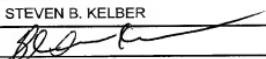
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17. Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

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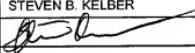
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FEE TRANSMITTAL

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| 1. <input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. <input type="checkbox"/> Charge any UNDERPAYMENT or credit any OVERPAYMENT in the indicated fees to Deposit Account No. 50-1442. <input type="checkbox"/> Charge the indicated fees to Deposit Account No. 50-1442. | | | | FEE CALCULATION (continued) | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | 3. ADDITIONAL FEES | | | | | | | | | | |
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| FEEL CALCULATION | | | | 105 | 130 | 205 | 55 | Surcharge-late filing fee or oath | | | | | | |
| 1. BASIC FILING FEE | | | | 127 | 50 | 217 | 25 | Surcharge-late provisional filing fee or cover sheet | | | | | | |
| Large Entity | | Small Entity | | Fee Description | | | 139 | 130 | 139 | 130 | Non-English specification | | | |
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| 101 | 740 | 201 | 370 | Utility filing fee | | | \$740.00 | 115 | 110 | 215 | 155 | 1-mo. ext. of time | | |
| 106 | 330 | 263 | 165 | Design filing fee | | | | 116 | 400 | 216 | 200 | 2-mo. ext. of time | | |
| 107 | 510 | 237 | 255 | Plant filing fee | | | | 117 | 920 | 217 | 460 | 3-mo. ext. of time | | |
| 108 | 740 | 238 | 370 | Reissue filing fee | | | | 118 | 1440 | 218 | 720 | 4-mo. ext. of time | | |
| 114 | 160 | 214 | 60 | Provisional filing fee | | | | 128 | 1960 | 228 | 980 | 5-mo. ext. of time | | |
| SUBTOTAL (1) | | | | \$740.00 | | | 119 | 320 | 219 | 196 | Notice of Appeal | | | |
| 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES | | | | | | | 120 | 320 | 220 | 160 | Appeal Brief | | | |
| tot. claims | 6 | - | 20* | = | 0 | x \$18 | = | 0 | 121 | 280 | 221 | 140 | Request for Oral Hearing | |
| Ind. claims | 6 | - | 3* | = | 3 | x \$84 | = | 252.00 | 142 | 1280 | 242 | 640 | Utility/Reissue Issue Fee | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dependent Claims | | | | | | \$280 | = | 143 | 480 | 243 | 230 | | Design Issue Fee | |
| Large Entity | | Small Entity | | Fee Description | | | 144 | 620 | 244 | 310 | | | Plant Issue Fee | |
| Fee Code | Fee (\$) | Fee Code | Fee (\$) | | | | 122 | 130 | 122 | 130 | | | Petitions to the Commissioner | |
| 103 | 18 | 203 | 9 | Claims in excess of 20 | | | 126 | 180 | 179 | 180 | | | IDS Submission | |
| 102 | 84 | 202 | 42 | Independent claims in excess of 3 | | | 581 | 40 | 581 | 40 | | | Assignment | |
| 104 | 280 | 204 | 140 | Multiple dependent claim, if not paid | | | 179 | 740 | 279 | 370 | | | For Filing RCE | |
| 109 | 84 | 203 | 42 | *Reissue independent claims over original patent | | | 169 | 900 | 169 | 600 | | | Expedited Design | |
| 110 | 18 | 210 | 9 | *Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent | | | | | | | | | OTHER (indicate below) | |
| SUBTOTAL (2) | | | | \$252.00 | | | | | | | | | | |
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